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Takashi Yokoyama et al.

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Art Unit: 1641

For: PROTEIN IMMOBILIZATION METHOD AND QUANTIFICATION METHOD
Examiner: L. Y. B. Lum

REQUEST AND AMENDMENT TO DELETE INVENTORS
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request and amendment in accordance with Rule 1.48(b) to delete the original people who are not inventors of the invention now being claimed.

I. INVENTORS TO BE DELETED

The names of the following people originally named as inventors are not inventors of the invention now being claimed in the subject application:

Naoyuki KOHNO
Hitoshi UEMORI

The invention of originally-named inventors Naoyuki KOHNO and Hitoshi UEMORI is no longer being claimed in the subject application as a result of the Response to Restriction Requirement filed October 16, 2008. It is requested to correct inventorship by deleting the above named inventors from the named inventors of this application.

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II. REQUIRED FEE

The Director is authorized to charge our deposit account No. **04-1105** in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the required fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i). If for any reason an additional fee is required, a fee paid is inadequate or credit is owed for any excess fee paid, you are hereby authorized and requested to charge Deposit Account No. **04-1105**, under Order No. 80441(302767).

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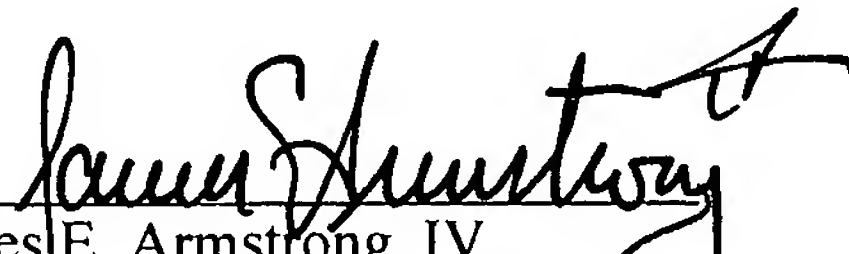
The Commissioner is respectfully requested to grant this Request and, accordingly, delete the above-identified originally-named inventors.

If any further information or clarification is required regarding this Request, then the Patent Office is respectfully requested to call the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 20, 2008

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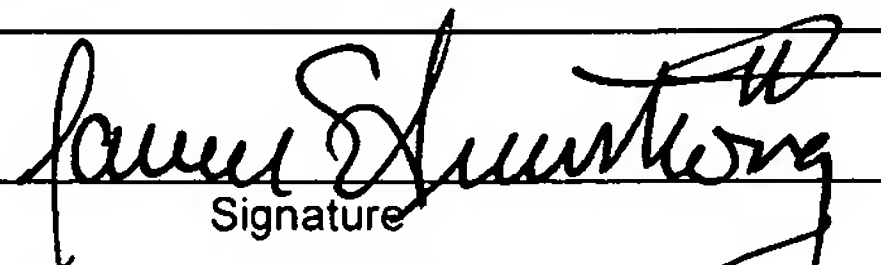
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